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The M.L.T. Cockcroft-Walton generator was used as a source of protons for a study of the p,α reaction on ^{27}Al and ^{29}Si . A 1.5 Mev collimator target and a 5.0 Mev aluminum target were used. The Cockcroft-Walton generator was equipped with a proton magnetic resonance resonance field control for measuring and controlling the proton energies. A logic counter was used for neutron detection, the yield of which showed a number of maxima. The proton kinetic energies at which these maxima occur are tabulated, but are not corrected for the effects due to the thickness and possible surface contamination of the target, and action of the center of mass. These values when corrected and combined with the binding energies of a proton in the compound nuclei give the energy levels in the compound nuclei. Energy level spectra, obtained

from the separation of the peaks in the yield curve are also tabulated.

Chlorine was investigated from 1.550 Mev to 2.510 Mev. The observed threshold of $1.641 \pm .002$ Mev led to a Q value of $-1.598 \pm .002$ Mev and a mass difference for $^{37}\text{Cl} - ^{37}\text{Cl}$ of $.000876 \pm .000005$ amu. The average energy level spacing in ^{38}Cl was 6.1 Mev.

Scandium was investigated from 2.760 Mev to 3.125 Mev. The observed threshold of $2.913 \pm .003$ Mev led to a Q value of $-2.850 \pm .003$ Mev and a mass difference for $^{45}\text{Ti} - ^{45}\text{Sc}$ of $.002221 \pm .000006$ amu. The average level spacing in ^{46}Ti was 6.0 Mev.

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Distillation was investigated from 2.5 to 3.5 mm
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at 2.5×10^{-3} mm and a mean value of 2.5×10^{-3}
at 3.5×10^{-3} mm. The average value of Δ is
in 2.5×10^{-3} mm.

Distillation was investigated from 3.5 to 4.5 mm
The measured thickness of liquid Δ was 0.5 mm
at 3.5×10^{-3} mm and a mean value of 3.5×10^{-3}
at 4.5×10^{-3} mm. The average value of Δ is
in 3.5×10^{-3} mm.

Distillation was investigated from 4.5 to 5.5 mm
The measured thickness of liquid Δ was 0.5 mm
at 4.5×10^{-3} mm and a mean value of 4.5×10^{-3}
at 5.5×10^{-3} mm. The average value of Δ is
in 4.5×10^{-3} mm.

Distillation was investigated from 5.5 to 6.5 mm
The measured thickness of liquid Δ was 0.5 mm
at 5.5×10^{-3} mm and a mean value of 5.5×10^{-3}
at 6.5×10^{-3} mm. The average value of Δ is
in 5.5×10^{-3} mm.

Distillation was investigated from 6.5 to 7.5 mm
The measured thickness of liquid Δ was 0.5 mm
at 6.5×10^{-3} mm and a mean value of 6.5×10^{-3}
at 7.5×10^{-3} mm. The average value of Δ is
in 6.5×10^{-3} mm.

Distillation was investigated from 7.5 to 8.5 mm
The measured thickness of liquid Δ was 0.5 mm
at 7.5×10^{-3} mm and a mean value of 7.5×10^{-3}
at 8.5×10^{-3} mm. The average value of Δ is
in 7.5×10^{-3} mm.

Distillation was investigated from 8.5 to 9.5 mm
The measured thickness of liquid Δ was 0.5 mm
at 8.5×10^{-3} mm and a mean value of 8.5×10^{-3}
at 9.5×10^{-3} mm. The average value of Δ is
in 8.5×10^{-3} mm.

Distillation was investigated from 9.5 to 10.5 mm
The measured thickness of liquid Δ was 0.5 mm
at 9.5×10^{-3} mm and a mean value of 9.5×10^{-3}
at 10.5×10^{-3} mm. The average value of Δ is
in 9.5×10^{-3} mm.

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CHAPTER I
INTRODUCTION

During the nineteenth century, a great deal of work was done on optical spectra and atomic energy levels. From this grew our present day quantum mechanical picture of atomic and molecular structure. The present work on nuclear energy levels is expected to lead to a similar improvement in our knowledge of nuclear structure.

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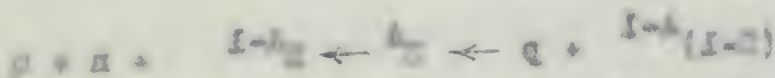


It is experimentally known that the neutron yields from (p,n) reactions exhibit maxima at certain energies of the bombarding protons. The Breit-Wigner theory attempts to explain this as a resonance phenomenon. When the kinetic energy of the proton (E_p) approaches certain critical values, the total energy of the initial state (target nucleus plus proton) corresponds to the energy levels of the compound nucleus. However, the proton kinetic energies at which maxima in the neutron yields occur differ from these critical values because of the thickness and possible sur-

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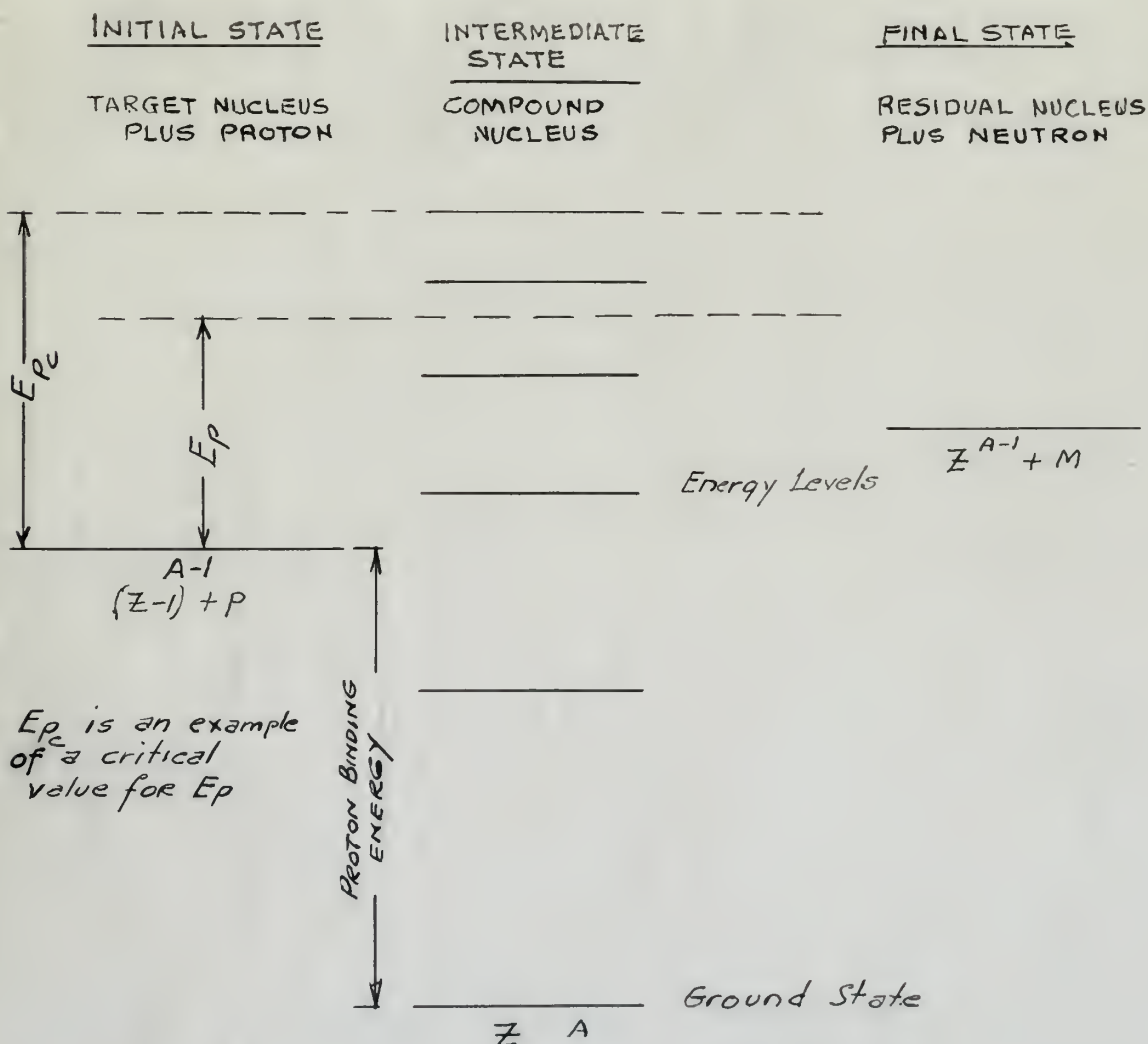
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face contamination of the target, the displacement of the peak due to the effect of neighboring peaks, and motion of the center of mass. By making corrections for these effects, and knowing the binding energy of the proton, the observed proton energies of the maxima lead to energy levels of the compound nucleus. (see diagram)



Although a number of other reactions give the same results, the (p,n) reaction was used for the following reasons. The Rockefeller generator provides a convenient source of protons of good energy resolution. The product particles, neutrons, are easily detected. Since they are uncharged, they have a long range and penetrate the target, which stops all of the bombarding protons. Thus the measured yield is all due to the neutrons as none of the protons get to the counter.

Previous work has been done on energy levels in light nuclei using the (p,n) reaction. A summary of this work is given by Richards et al (B1). The (p,n) reaction in manganese has been studied by McGue and Preston (B1), and in scandium and vanadium by Baker, Howell, Goodman and Preston (B1, B2). The latter used the M.I.T. Rockefeller generator, but a proton resonance system which controls the magnetic field has been installed subsequently. This allows much better resolution of the proton energy, which together with the use of thinner targets, results in much better resolution of the peaks in scandium.

The threshold energies of chlorine and scandium are low enough (1.6 and 2.9 Mev respectively) to permit the use of the Rockefeller generator. Although these are moderately heavy nuclei, their coulomb barriers (5.3 Mev for

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chlorine and 6.1 Mev for scandium) are low enough so that satisfactory yields could be obtained. The level spacings of the compound nuclei are sufficient to permit the observation of a fair number of levels under the conditions of this experiment, and targets of these elements are fairly easy to prepare from readily available materials.

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CHAPTER II

EXPERIMENTAL ARRANGEMENT

General: The Rockefeller generator (W1, J1) is an electrostatic generator which has been adapted as a proton accelerator. The protons of desired energy were bent through 90° by a magnetic field. They then struck the target, which was composed of a layer of the desired element on a tantalum backing. The resulting neutrons were then detected by a BF_3 proportional counter, surrounded by paraffin. After amplification, the pulses were counted on a scaler.

Proton Energy: The proton energy was determined from the intensity of the magnetic field, measured by the "proton resonance method," which is described by Hadden (H3). The fundamental non-relativistic equations dealing with this measurement are given below.

The expression for the force on a charged particle moving in a magnetic field is:

$$\begin{aligned} \frac{mv^2}{r} &= \frac{Bev}{c} & m &= \text{mass of proton} \\ v &= \frac{reB}{cm} & v &= \text{velocity of proton} \\ E &= \frac{1}{2}mv^2 = \frac{1}{2}m \left(\frac{re}{cm}\right)^2 B^2 = k'B^2 r^2 & r &= \text{radius of curvature} \\ E &= k'B^2 & B &= \text{magnetic field} \\ & & c &= \text{velocity of light} \end{aligned}$$

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EXPERIMENTAL APPARATUS

General: The experimental apparatus (Fig. 1) is an electrostatic generator which has been adapted as a proton accelerator. The protons at desired energy were sent through 90° by a magnetic field. They then entered the target, which was composed of a layer of the desired substance on a tantalum backing. The resulting protons were then detected by a 2π proportional counter, surrounded by paraffin. After amplification, the pulses were counted on a scaler.

Proton Beam: The proton energy was determined from the intensity of the magnetic field, measured by the "proton resonance method," which is described by Ingman (17). The fundamental non-relativistic equation dealing with this measurement are given below.

The expression for the force on a charged particle

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 \end{aligned}$$

$\mathbf{p}$ = momentum of proton
 $\mathbf{v}$ = velocity of proton
 $\mathbf{B}$ = magnetic field
 q = velocity of light

The expression for the torque exerted by a magnetic field on a body of magnetic moment μ is:

$$T = B\mu \sin \theta$$

also;

$$T = \frac{dp}{dt} = \frac{\mu}{\gamma} \sin \theta (2\pi f)$$

$$\gamma B = 2\pi f$$

$$E = k f^2$$

e = charge on electron

E = energy of proton

T = torque

μ = magnetic moment of proton

θ = angle between μ (or I) and B

p = angular momentum of proton

f = frequency of precession of proton in magnetic field

γ = gyromagnetic ratio of a proton = $\frac{\mu}{I}$

I = proton angular momentum

k = constant

k' = constant

Therefore, the energy of the protons is proportional to the square of the frequency, which is measured with a frequency meter. For the determination of the proportionality constant, k, which relates proton energy to frequency, the L_i^7 threshold ($E_0 = 1.8822$ Mev as measured by Herb (H1, H2)) was used. The frequency corresponding to this E_0 is $f_0 = 10.485$ mc. Therefore,

$$E_0 = k f_0^2$$

$$k = E_0 / f_0^2 = \frac{1.8822}{(10.485)^2} = 0.017121 \text{ Mev}/(\text{mc})^2$$

$$= 17.121 \text{ kev}/(\text{mc})^2$$

$\mu =$ charge on electron

$\gamma =$ energy of photon

$T =$ torque

$\mu =$ magnetic moment of proton

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$$\begin{aligned} f_p &= 10.4 \text{ Mc/sec.} \\ f_p &= 10.4 \times 10^6 \text{ sec}^{-1} \\ f_p &= 10.4 \times 10^6 \times 2\pi \text{ rad/sec} \\ f_p &= 6.5 \times 10^7 \text{ rad/sec} \\ f_p &= 6.5 \times 10^7 \times 1.6 \times 10^{-19} \text{ J} \\ f_p &= 1.04 \times 10^{-11} \text{ J} \end{aligned}$$

The expression for the torque exerted by a magnetic field on a body is

$$T = \mu \times B \sin \theta$$

also:

$$T = \frac{dL}{dt} = \frac{d}{dt} (I \omega \sin \theta)$$

$$\gamma = \frac{d\theta}{dt}$$

$$E = hf$$

This value of k was used in the present work. Substantial changes in k result from readjustments of the proton resonance apparatus. In addition, there are minor variations in k as discussed below.

The accuracy of the measured value of the energy of the beam is limited because of the following:

1. A possible variation of the value of k with energy. This has been studied by Preston and Stelson (Pl) using the mass 1 and 2 beams on a (p,γ) resonance in aluminum at 993 Kev. The error was found to be less than 1 part in 5,000 in the absolute value of the beam energy.

2. The frequency can be measured to 1 part in 100,000, and since the energy is proportional to the square of the frequency, this causes an error of 2 parts in 100,000 in the value of the beam energy.

3. The width of the beam-defining slits could permit a maximum error of 15 parts in 10,000 in the beam energy, for 40 mil slits, and 7.5 parts in 10,000 for 20 mil slits. The actual error is probably less than half of these. This was determined by Preston and Stelson (Pl).

4. The value of k is determined from the (p,n) threshold of Li^7 ($H1, H2$), and this causes an error of 1 part in 1000 in the beam energy because of the uncertainty in the Li^7 threshold.

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the beam is limited because of the following:

1. A possible variation of the value of k with energy.

This has been studied by Treiman and Wilson (1951) using the
 mass I and S beam on a [1,4] resonance in aluminum at 90
 MeV. The error was found to be less than 1 part in 1,000
 in the absolute value of the beam energy.

2. The frequency can be measured to 1 part in 100,000,
 and since the energy is proportional to the square of the
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3. The width of the resonance also limits the
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 these. This was determined by Treiman and Wilson (1951).

4. The value of k is determined from the [2,2]
 threshold of $14^{1/2}$ MeV, and this means an error of
 1 part in 1000 in the beam energy because of the uncertainty
 in the $14^{1/2}$ threshold.

5. A drift in the value of k since the last calibration, using the Li^7 threshold, may cause an error of 1 part in 2000 in the beam energy. The reason for this drift is unknown.

6. The use of the non-relativistic equation introduces an error. The calibration is such that this error is zero at E_0 . According to Preston (12) the error is about 1.7 Kev at a proton energy of 3.1 Mev (the highest energy used), and is less for lower energies.

In addition to the above, which cause an uncertainty in the beam energy prior to striking the target, the thickness and surface contamination of the target cause a further uncertainty in the energy of the reacting protons. Because of the care used in the preparation and use of the targets, and the ability to reproduce data, it was assumed that surface contamination was negligible, and did not build up during the experiment. The upper limit to the target thickness, discussed in a later section, sets an upper limit to the uncertainty in the energy of the protons due to this cause. Considering all of these factors, it is estimated that the values of the proton energies, relative to Herb's measured value of the Li^7 (p,n) threshold, are accurate to within 0.1%.

Instrumentation: The long counter used to detect

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neutrons consisted of an enriched BF_3 counter tube, surrounded by paraffin, similar to that described by Hansen and McKibben (H4). The paraffin cylinder was 8" in diameter and 10" in length, and was surrounded by cadmium. This counter differed from that of Hansen and McKibben in that no holes were provided in the face of the paraffin. The counter tube had the following specifications:

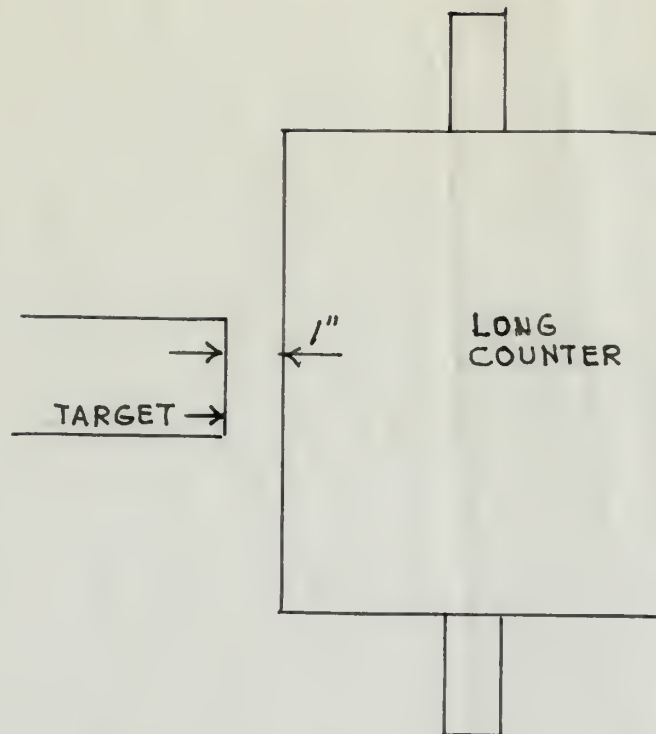
Outside diameter	1"
Wall Thickness	0.042" of brass
Active volume	10" in length
Center Wire	2 mil tungsten
Filling	55 gm of Hg of 96% enriched B^{10}F_3
Operating voltage	2200 volts

The long counter was mounted with the axis of the cylinder perpendicular to the direction of the proton beam as shown in the sketch below. It was used in this position in order to subtend as large a solid angle as possible. Since the neutrons may be emitted anisotropically in the center of mass system, this arrangement reduced the possibility of not detecting peaks in the yield curves because of the angular distribution of the emitted neutrons. It was checked at the start and finish of each individual run with a standard Ra-Be neutron source.

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The long column was oriented with the axis of the column perpendicular to the direction of the incident wave as shown in the sketch below. It was seen in this position in order to observe the large angle of reflection. Since the column may be tilted independently in the sense of the wave, this arrangement permits the possibility of not detecting peaks in the field even in cases of the angular distribution of the incident wave. It was expected at the time and time of such incident wave with a relatively low angle of incidence.

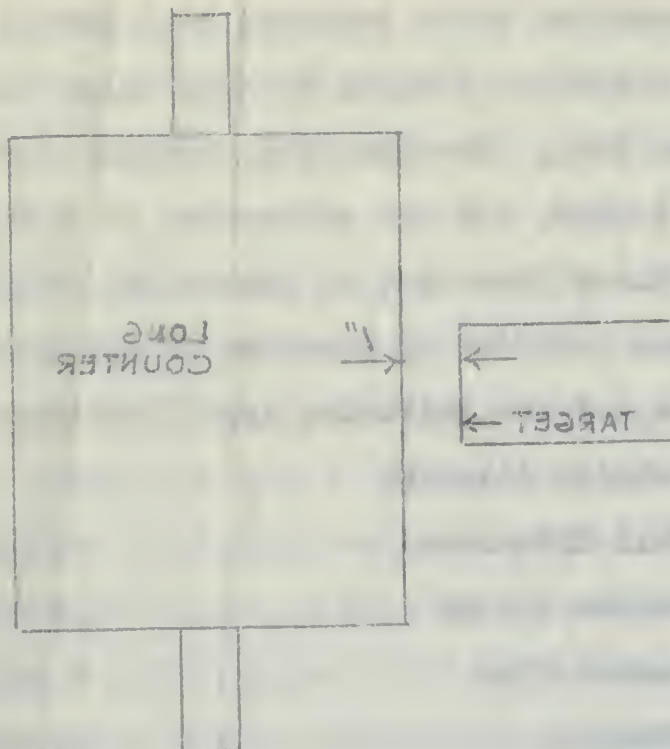


The data on the other instruments used are:

Preamplifier: Laboratory for Nuclear Science and Engineering, M.I.T., Model 100.

Amplifier: Laboratory for Nuclear Science and Engineering, M.I.T., Model 100. The preamplifier and amplifier are discussed fully in Elmore and Sands (E1). The amplifier had a gain of 10,000, a rise time of 0.5 micro seconds, and a clipping time of 2 micro seconds.

Scaler: Atomic Instrument Co. Model 105. Resolving time -- 5 micro seconds.



The data on the other instruments used are:

Preamplifier: Laboratory for Nuclear Science and Engineering

Inc., M.I.T., Model 190.

Amplifier: Laboratory for Nuclear Science and Engineering,

M.I.T., Model 190. The preamplifier and amplifier

are discussed fully in Moore and Bonds

(11). The amplifier has a gain of 10,000, a

rise time of 0.2 micro seconds, and a clipping

time of 2 micro seconds.

Scaler: Space Instrument Co., Model 102, Resolving time --

2 micro seconds.

Regulated High Voltage Supply: M.I.T. Servo Lab., Electronic Nuclear Instrument Project. Electronically stabilized.

Frequency Meter: General Radio Co. Model 271. 160 kc --
15 mc.

The amplifier, preamplifier, and high voltage supply were run from a voltage regulating transformer with a sine wave output.

Regulated high voltage supply: E.I.T. type 120, 1200-
Stable output: 1200-12000 V, 100 mA
Statically regulated.

Transformer: General Radio Co. Model 27, 100 VA

12 in.

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CHAPTER III

TARGETS

The scandium targets were made from Sc_2O_3 prepared by Johnson and Malthay and Co., Ltd. of London. It was obtained from the Jarrell Ash Co. of Boston, Massachusetts. The oxide was certified "spectrographically standardized." Baird Associates of Cambridge, Massachusetts made the targets using the method developed by Baker and Howell (B2). The scandium targets were not thicker than 5 Kev. This upper limit was determined from the width of the narrowest peak measured at half its maximum amplitude. A target used by Baker et al was available, but almost no yield of neutrons was obtained from this target. Apparently the targets deteriorate over a period of time, so that targets used in this work were made very shortly before being used. Between runs they were stored in a vacuum to minimize any contamination or oxidation. While being bombarded with protons, the targets were continuously cooled by a stream of air to reduce evaporation of the scandium. In order to ensure that no changes took place in the target during a run, a measurement of the same peak was made at the start and finish of each individual run. Using these methods, no difficulties were encountered with the targets.

The chlorine targets were made from NaCl, prepared by Johnson and Matthey and Co. Ltd. of London. It was obtained from the Jarrell Ash Co. of Boston, Massachusetts. The NaCl was of a high degree of purity, and was certified "spectrographically standardized." Lines of silver, copper, and magnesium were faintly visible. Lines of calcium were very faintly visible. Iron and silicon lines were detected, but were fainter than those seen using plain electrodes, so their presence is doubtful. The above is from the report on the NaCl issued by the Johnson and Matthey Co.

Bird Associates of Cambridge, Massachusetts made the chlorine targets, using the method described by Baker and Howell (12) for the preparation of vanadium targets. The threshold energies of Na (12) and Cl³⁵ (13) were well above the energies used, so that they did not enter into the reaction. The target used for the energy level measurements in the chlorine work was not thicker than 1.6 Kev. The target used near threshold was not thicker than 4.3 Kev. At first, difficulty was experienced with the chlorine targets changing during a run. When checking a peak at the end of a run, its maximum amplitude would be much less than it had been at the start of the run. However, by keeping the beam current below 3 micro amperes, and using a spray of cooling water on the target, in addition to taking the precautions

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CHAPTER IV
EXPERIMENTAL RESULTS

$\text{Cl}^{37}(\text{p},\text{n})\text{A}^{37}$: The neutron yield from the chlorine target was measured over an energy range from 1.550 Mev to 2.510 Mev.

From 1.550 Mev to 1.641 Mev, the neutron yield observed was constant at a background of 0.1. As the proton energy was increased, the neutron yield started to increase. This increase occurred just above the threshold of the reaction. Figure 1 shows a plot of the results near the threshold, from 1.630 Mev to 1.700 Mev. The region from 1.550 Mev to 1.630 Mev is not shown in this figure, since the yield was a constant as previously mentioned. The threshold¹ for the reaction was taken as the energy at which the rise in the yield curve started, or a value of 1.641 ± 0.002 Mev. This error is due to the 0.1% uncertainty in the proton energy, as previously discussed. This value agrees very closely with 1.640 ± 0.004 Mev as measured by Richards et al (R1).

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At 10.31 AM: The meter plate from the minimum
position was removed over an empty plate 1.155 mV
to 1.210 mV.
From 1.150 mV to 1.241 mV, the meter plate was
rotated and removed at a distance of 0.1. At the same
time energy was measured, the meter plate rotated at
intervals. This interval varied from about 1.150 mV
of the meter. Figure 1 shows a plot of the meter
near the threshold, from 1.150 mV to 1.200 mV. The
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tioned. The threshold for the meter was taken as the
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value of 1.141 $\pm$ 0.001 mV. This value is due to the 0.1%
uncertainty in the meter energy, as previously discussed.
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measured by Richards et al. (11).

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Figure 1

NEUTRON YIELD FROM $\text{Cl}^{37}(\text{p},\text{n})\text{A}^{37}$
NEAR THRESHOLD

Appendix

Table 1

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The values for the cross-sections are calculated from the formula $\sigma = \frac{4\pi}{k} \frac{Z^2}{A} \frac{1}{v^2}$, where Z is the atomic number, A is the atomic weight, and v is the velocity of the particles. The values for the densities are calculated from the formula $\rho = \frac{A}{N_A}$, where A is the atomic weight and N_A is the Avogadro number.

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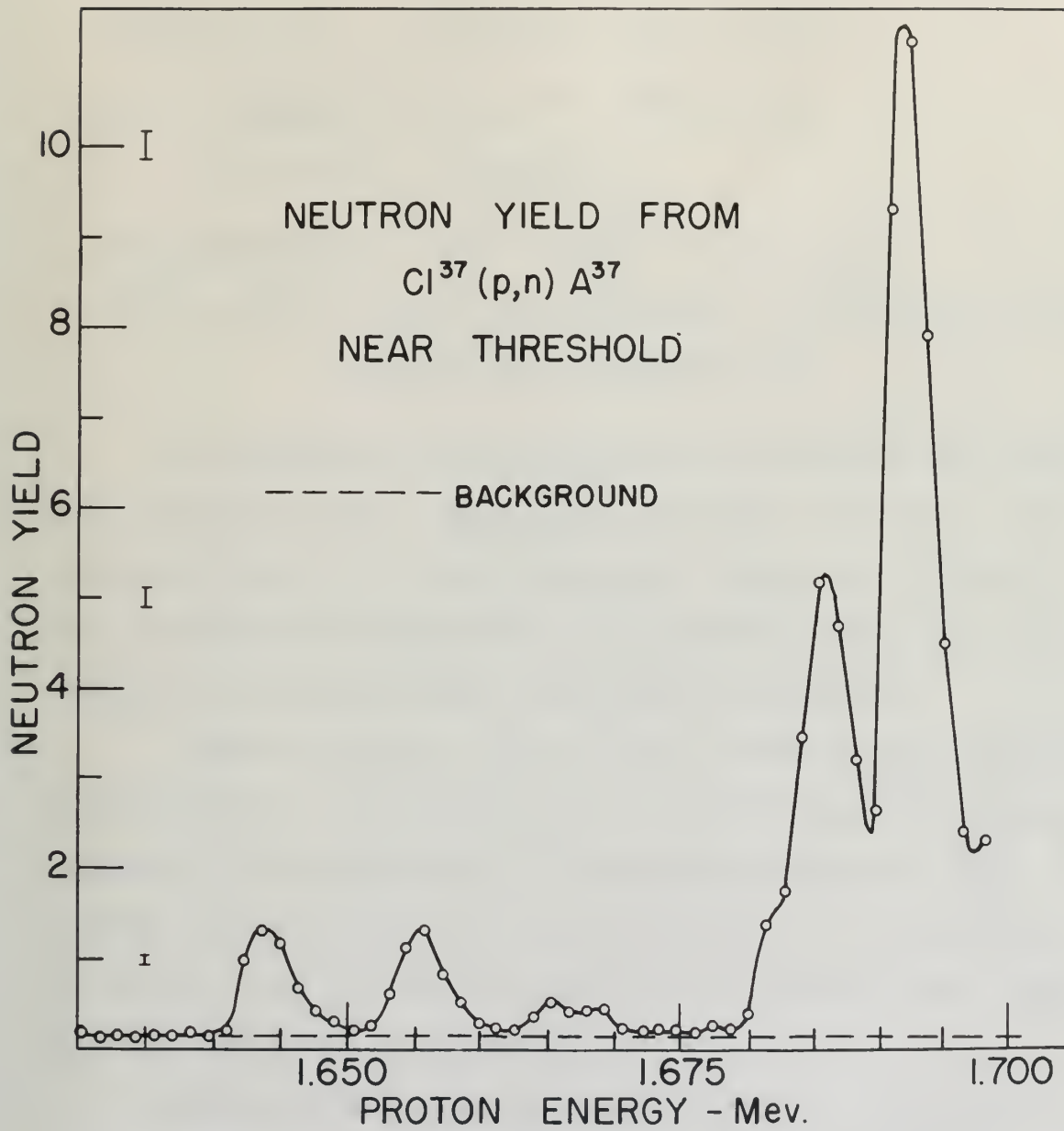
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$$\text{Cl}^{37}(\text{p}, \text{n})\text{A}^{37} \quad \text{threshold} = 1641 \pm 2 \text{ Kev}$$

$$- Q = \frac{36.9775}{37.9856} (1641 \pm 2) = 1598 \pm 2 \text{ Kev}$$

$$= 0.001716 \pm 0.000002 \text{ amu}$$

$$\text{Mass difference}^2 \quad (\text{A}^{37} - \text{Cl}^{37}) = - Q - (\text{n-p})$$

$$(\text{A}^{37} - \text{Cl}^{37}) = 0.001716 \pm 0.000002 - (0.000840 \pm 0.000005) \quad (\text{B})$$

$$= 0.000876 \pm 0.000005 \text{ amu}$$

The background was determined by measuring the counting rate obtained when a pure tantalum target was used. It is shown on Figure 1. The experimental points are shown by the circles. The magnitude of the probable error in these points is indicated along the axis of ordinates.

Figure 2 shows a plot of the results from 1.670 Mev to 2.510 Mev. The background was omitted from this curve because it was negligible. The probable error at high yields is indicated, but at low yields it is too small to be shown. For the sake of clarity, the experimental points are not indicated on Figure 2.

Figure 3, the region from 2.375 Mev to 2.510 Mev, plotted to a larger scale, shows experimental points. The probable error of these points is less than the size of the circles indicating the points. This plot is included to

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are not indicated on Figure 2.

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plotted to a larger scale, shows experimental points. The

probable error of these points is less than the size of the

circles indicating the points. This plot is included to

5. The effect of the electron blocking energies was neglected as they were of the order of electron volts, whereas the uncertainty in the value of ϕ is of the order of keV.

Figure 2

NEUTRON YIELD FROM $\text{Cl}^{37}(\text{p},\text{n})\text{A}^{37}$
1.670 - 2.510 Mev.

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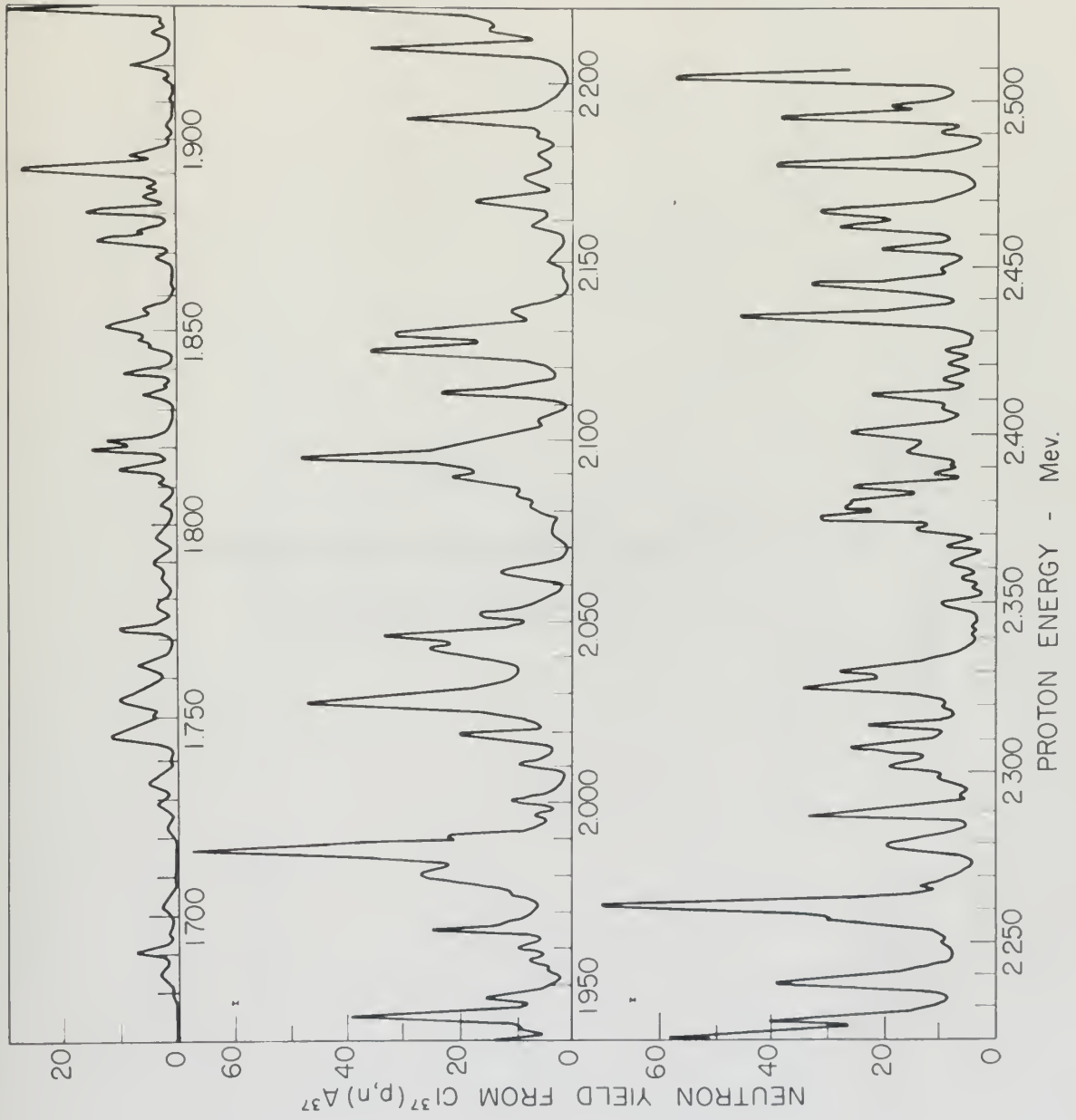
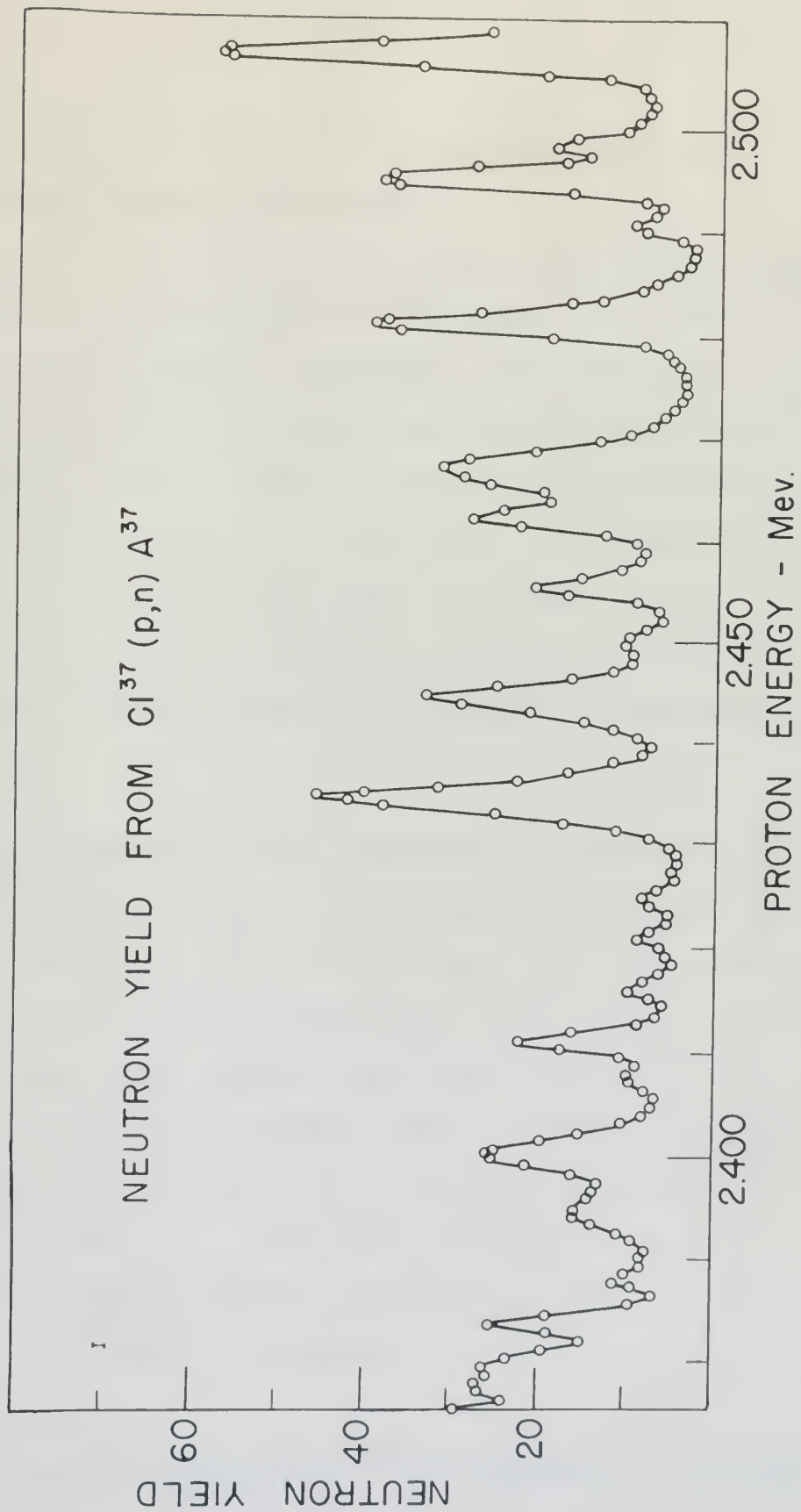


Figure 3

NEUTRON YIELD FROM $\text{Cl}^{37}(\text{p},\text{n})\text{A}^{37}$
2.375 - 2.510 Mev.

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show the spacing of the points, and is typical of the entire energy region investigated.

Table 1 lists all of the peaks in the neutron yield. The narrowest peak found, at 1.839 Mev, had a width of 1.8 Kev at half its maximum amplitude. This width was due to the energy spread, the target thickness, and the actual width of the level. Thus this value of 1.8 Kev sets an upper limit to the target thickness. The target thickness, measured in Kev, decreases with increasing energy. If the energy spread remains constant, the greater width of other peaks would be due to an actual increase in the width of the levels.

Sc⁴⁵(p,n)Ti⁴⁵: From 2.760 Mev to 2.913 Mev, the yield from the scandium target was practically constant, varying from 2.3 to 3.0 ± 0.07 . At 2.913 Mev the yield rose sharply, indicating that the threshold³ for the reaction is at 2.913 ± 0.003 Mev. This agrees fairly well with the value of 2.85 Mev obtained by Tasehek (T1). A plot of the results from 2.894 Mev to 3.128 Mev is shown in Figure 4.

Sc⁴⁵(p,n)Ti⁴⁵ threshold = 2913 ± 3 Kev

$$\begin{aligned}
 - Q &= \frac{44.966}{45.974} (2913 \pm 3) = 2850 \pm 3 \text{ Kev} \\
 &= 0.003061 \pm 0.000003 \text{ amu}
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3. For neutrons emitted at 0° with respect to direction of incident protons.

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$\sigma_{0.2}^2(p,n)^{14}_7$: From 3.700 Mev to 5.913 Mev, the yield from the secondary target was practically constant, varying from 2.3 ± 0.07 . At 5.913 Mev the yield rose sharply, indicating that the threshold for the reaction is at 5.913 ± 0.003 Mev. This agrees fairly well with the value of 5.65 Mev obtained by Tausch (11). A plot of the results from 3.494 Mev to 5.115 Mev is shown in Figure 4.

$$\sigma_{0.2}^2(p,n)^{14}_7 \text{ threshold} = 5.913 \pm 0.003 \text{ Mev}$$

$$- \sigma = \frac{4.4 \times 10^{-4}}{4.5 \times 10^{-4}} (2.913 \pm 0.003) = 2.913 \pm 0.003 \text{ Mev}$$

$$= 0.003061 \pm 0.000003 \text{ Mev}$$

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Figure 4

NEUTRON YIELD FROM $\text{Sc}^{45}(\text{p},\text{n})\text{Ti}^{45}$

2.894 - 3.128 Mev.

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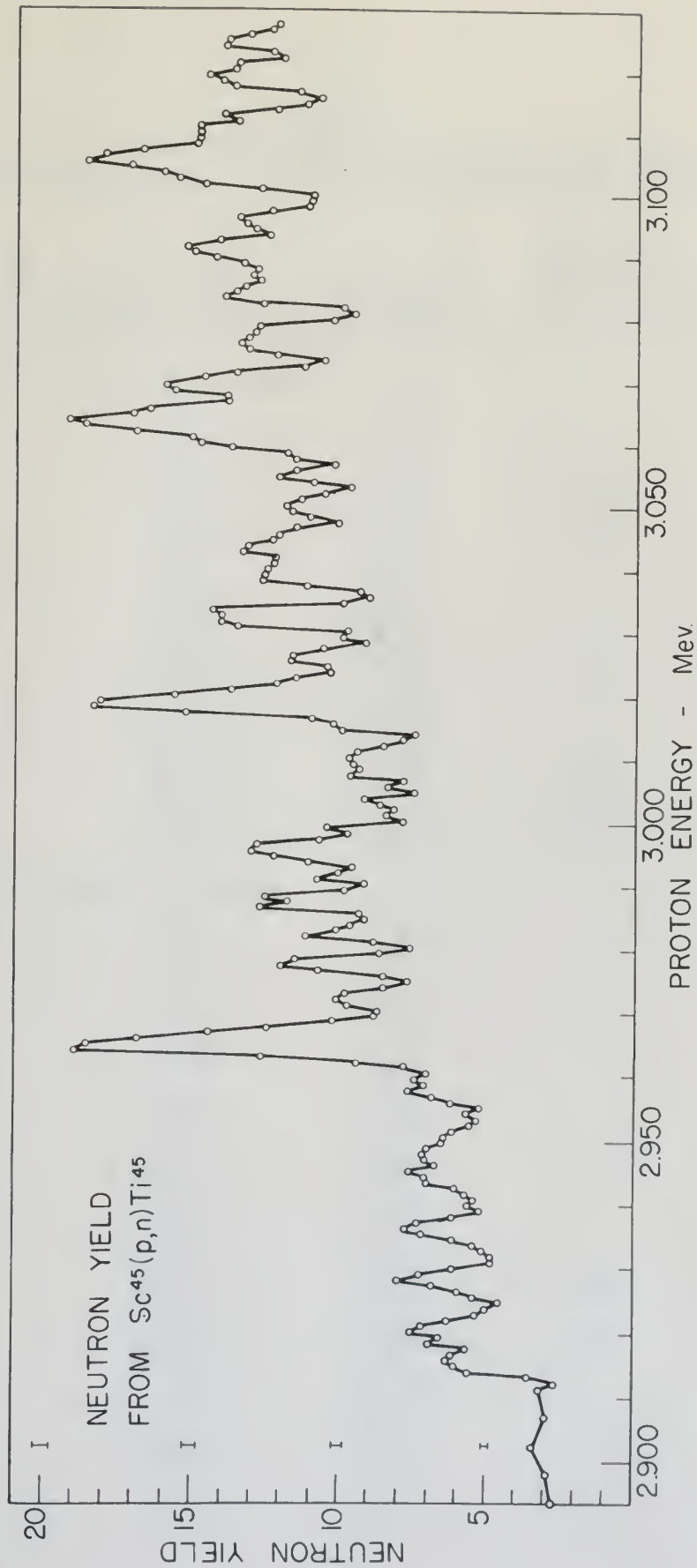


TABLE 1
 RESONANCE PEAKS IN NEUTRON YIELD FROM $\text{Cl}^{37}(\text{p},\text{n})\text{A}^{37}$
 Error in $E \pm 0.1\%$, relative to $\text{Li}^7(\text{p},\text{n})$ threshold

Frequency of peak - mc.	Energy of peak - Mev.	Amplitude of peak	Width at half max. - Kev.	Separation from next peak - Kev.
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Thick target - near threshold:

9.800	1.644	1.3	4.3	11
9.831	1.655	1.3	4.3	11
9.860	1.666	0.5		3
9.871	1.669	0.4		9
9.897	1.678	0.25		4
9.910	1.682	1.5		4
9.922	1.686	5.3	5.0	6
9.939	1.692	11.3	4.4	

Thin target - entire range:

9.799	1.644	1.0		11
9.834	1.655	1.0		11
9.864	1.666	0.5		3
9.873	1.669	0.5		9
9.900	1.678	0.2		4
9.912	1.682	1.2		4
9.924	1.686	3.5	4.9	5
9.940	1.691	7.5	1.8	5
9.954	1.696	2.0		7
9.973	1.703	3.2	4.1	19
10.030	1.722	2.0	4.7	7

TABLE I
RESEARCHES MADE IN HUNTER TUNNEL FROM 01/12/41 TO 17/12/41
Error is ± 0.15 , relative to 12 (2.4) standard

Frequency of peak - sec.	Energy of peak - sec.	Height of peak	Width at half max. - sec.	Integration from zero to peak - sec.
Thin target - near threshold				
0.000	1.044	1.1	0.1	11
0.031	1.052	1.3	0.1	11
0.060	1.060	0.2		3
0.071	1.069	0.4		4
0.092	1.078	0.52		4
0.110	1.083	1.2		4
0.222	1.086	2.3	2.0	6
0.232	1.092	11.3	4.4	
Thin target - entire range				
0.000	1.044	1.0		11
0.031	1.052	1.0		11
0.060	1.060	0.2		3
0.071	1.069	0.2		3
0.090	1.078	0.2		4
0.112	1.082	1.2		4
0.222	1.086	1.2	4.2	2
0.240	1.092	7.2	1.2	2
0.254	1.096	2.0		4
0.272	1.102	3.2	0.1	12
10.030	1.122	2.0	4.4	2

TABLE 1 (continued)

Frequency of peak - mc.	Energy of peak - Mev.	Amplitude of peak	Width at half max. - Kev.	Separation from next peak - Kev.
10.050	1.729	3.5	3.6	5
10.064	1.734	5.5	4.0	7
10.084	1.741	1.5		5
10.099	1.746	12.5	4.3	5
10.115	1.751	5.0		4
10.126	1.755	10.5	5.1	9
10.151	1.764	7.0	3.2	9
10.177	1.773	10.5	2.3	5
10.192	1.778	4.2	4.1	8
10.213	1.786	3.2		3
10.224	1.789	4.6		7
10.243	1.796	4.4	4.3	9
10.267	1.805	3.5	2.3	5
10.283	1.810	4.3		4
10.293	1.814	11.0	2.7	5
10.307	1.819	15.5		2
10.313	1.821	12.5		12
10.348	1.833	7.0		3
10.355	1.836	2.5		3
10.363	1.839	10.0	1.8	7
10.383	1.846	5.5		2

Table 1 (continued)

Frequency at peak - sec.	Intensity of peak - sec.	Amplitude of peak	Width of half max. - sec.	Vegetation from peak - sec.
10.000	1.733	3.3	3.0	2
10.004	1.734	3.3	4.0	7
10.008	1.741	3.3		2
10.009	1.746	3.3	4.3	2
10.013	1.751	3.0		4
10.016	1.752	30.3	2.1	9
10.021	1.764	4.0	3.2	9
10.023	1.771	30.3	2.3	2
10.025	1.776	4.3	4.1	9
10.013	1.780	3.3		2
10.033	1.783	4.3		9
10.043	1.780	4.4	4.3	9
10.053	1.802	3.3	2.3	2
10.053	1.820	4.3		4
10.053	1.824	13.0	2.8	2
10.057	1.813	12.3		2
10.073	1.831	12.3		10
10.083	1.832	9.0		1
10.083	1.836	4.3		2
10.083	1.836	10.0	1.0	9
10.083	1.846	2.8		2

TABLE 1 (continued)

Frequency of peak - mc.	Energy of peak - Mev.	Amplitude of peak	Width at half max. - Kev.	Separation from next peak - Kev.
10.389	1.848	7.2		3
10.398	1.851	13.0	4.1	4
10.410	1.855	6.5		7
10.430	1.862	1.5		7
10.448	1.869	4.3	3.1	4
10.460	1.873	14.0	2.2	3
10.467	1.876	7.5		5
10.481	1.881	17.0	2.2	4
10.493	1.885	6.5		2
10.499	1.887	6.2		5
10.512	1.892	27.5	3.2	4
10.523	1.896	8.5		4
10.535	1.900	2.0		3
10.544	1.903	2.5		7
10.564	1.910	2.5		6
10.578	1.916	3.0		3
10.588	1.919	9.0	2.9	9
10.612	1.928	4.7		3
10.621	1.931	3.5		3
10.628	1.934	30.5	2.0	4
10.640	1.938	9.5		4

TABLE 1 (continued)

Frequency of peak - mc.	Energy of peak - Mev.	Amplitude of peak	Width at half max. - Kev.	Separation from next peak - Kev.
10.649	1.942	40.0	2.3	5
10.664	1.947	15.5		8
10.685	1.955	4.5		2
10.691	1.957	8.2		4
10.701	1.961	10.2		4
10.714	1.965	25.0	2.9	11
10.742	1.976	11.8		5
10.756	1.981	27.5		6
10.772	1.987	67.5	4.2	4
10.784	1.991	23.0		6
10.800	1.997	7.0		4
10.810	2.001	11.5	3.3	10
10.838	2.011	9.5	3.4	8
10.858	2.019	20.5	3.2	8
10.881	2.027	47.5	4.5	16
10.923	2.043	26.0		3
10.932	2.046	34.5		6
10.948	2.052	17.5	4.3	12
10.980	2.064	13.0	3.9	13
11.013	2.077	3.5		5

TABLE 1 (continued)

Frequency of Peak - No.	Intensity of Peak - No.	Wavelength of Peak	Wavelength of Peak - No.	Wavelength of Peak - No.
10.000	1.000	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.001	1.001	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.002	1.002	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.003	1.003	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.004	1.004	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.005	1.005	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.006	1.006	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.007	1.007	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.008	1.008	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.009	1.009	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.010	1.010	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.011	1.011	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.012	1.012	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.013	1.013	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.014	1.014	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.015	1.015	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.016	1.016	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.017	1.017	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.018	1.018	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.019	1.019	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.020	1.020	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.021	1.021	10.0	1.0	1.0
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10.023	1.023	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.024	1.024	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.025	1.025	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.026	1.026	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.027	1.027	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.028	1.028	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.029	1.029	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.030	1.030	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.031	1.031	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.032	1.032	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.033	1.033	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.034	1.034	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.035	1.035	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.036	1.036	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.037	1.037	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.038	1.038	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.039	1.039	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.040	1.040	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.041	1.041	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.042	1.042	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.043	1.043	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.044	1.044	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.045	1.045	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.046	1.046	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.047	1.047	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.048	1.048	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.049	1.049	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.050	1.050	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.051	1.051	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.052	1.052	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.053	1.053	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.054	1.054	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.055	1.055	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.056	1.056	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.057	1.057	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.058	1.058	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.059	1.059	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.060	1.060	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.061	1.061	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.062	1.062	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.063	1.063	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.064	1.064	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.065	1.065	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.066	1.066	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.067	1.067	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.068	1.068	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.069	1.069	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.070	1.070	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.071	1.071	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.072	1.072	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.073	1.073	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.074	1.074	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.075	1.075	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.076	1.076	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.077	1.077	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.078	1.078	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.079	1.079	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.080	1.080	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.081	1.081	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.082	1.082	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.083	1.083	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.084	1.084	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.085	1.085	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.086	1.086	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.087	1.087	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.088	1.088	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.089	1.089	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.090	1.090	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.091	1.091	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.092	1.092	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.093	1.093	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.094	1.094	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.095	1.095	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.096	1.096	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.097	1.097	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.098	1.098	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.099	1.099	10.0	1.0	1.0
10.100	1.100	10.0	1.0	1.0

TABLE 1 (continued)

Frequency of peak - mc.	Energy of peak - Mev.	Amplitude of peak	Width at half max. - Kev.	Separation from next peak - Mev.
11.026	2.082	7.5		3
11.034	2.085	10.0		5
11.048	2.090	21.0		5
11.061	2.095	49.0	4.4	11
11.090	2.106	6.5		7
11.110	2.113	23.5	3.1	12
11.141	2.125	35.5	4.3	5
11.154	2.130	31.5		6
11.170	2.136	11.0		11
11.199	2.147	2.5		3
11.206	2.150	4.5	4.7	10
11.233	2.160	7.2		7
11.250	2.167	17.0	4.2	7
11.268	2.174	9.5	5.1	7
11.286	2.181	6.5		5
11.300	2.186	7.2		4
11.310	2.190	29.5	3.5	20
11.362	2.210	36.0	3.2	6
11.375	2.216	14.5		7
11.394	2.223	58.0	5.1	5
11.406	2.228	40.5		10

TABLE 2 (continued)

Frequency of Peak - Hz	Amplitude of Peak - Hz	Width of Peak - Hz	Integration Time - sec
11.010	2.012	0.2	1
11.011	2.012	10.0	2
11.012	2.010	21.0	3
11.013	2.009	42.0	4
11.014	2.100	0.2	5
11.110	2.113	21.0	15
11.111	2.112	20.2	2
11.112	2.110	21.0	4
11.113	2.110	11.0	11
11.114	2.114	2.2	3
11.115	2.110	4.2	20
11.211	2.100	4.2	4
11.212	2.101	14.0	7
11.213	2.114	0.2	7
11.214	2.111	0.2	2
11.215	2.110	4.0	4
11.310	2.103	20.2	20
11.311	2.210	20.0	8
11.312	2.210	24.2	7
11.313	2.212	20.0	2
11.400	2.212	40.2	10

TABLE 1 (continued)

Frequency of peak - mc.	Energy of peak - Mev.	Amplitude of peak	Width at half max. - Kev.	Separation from next peak - Kev.
11.433	2.238	40.0	4.4	12
11.464	2.250	10.0		7
11.482	2.257	31.0		4
11.491	2.261	70.5	4.4	6
11.506	2.267	13.5		12
11.537	2.279	20.5	5.5	9
11.559	2.288	34.0	3.4	5
11.572	2.293	6.0		6
11.586	2.299	11.0		3
11.595	2.302	19.0		5
11.608	2.307	26.5	4.6	7
11.624	2.314	23.0	2.5	6
11.639	2.320	10.0		5
11.652	2.325	34.5		5
11.665	2.330	28.5		11
11.692	2.341	4.5		3
11.700	2.344	4.0		6
11.715	2.350	10.5	4.3	4
11.726	2.354	5.0		4
11.734	2.358	6.0		4
11.745	2.362	8.5	4.8	5

TABLE I (continued)

Frequency of rain - mm	Intensity of rain - mm/hr	Direction of rain	Width of rain band - km	Direction of rain - km
11.413	2.5230	60.7	4.4	12
11.404	2.5230	10.0		7
11.402	2.5230	21.0		4
11.403	2.5230	70.2	4.4	0
11.406	2.5230	1.2		12
11.417	2.5230	20.2	2.2	0
11.422	2.5230	10.0	2.4	2
11.423	2.5230	0.0		0
11.420	2.5230	11.0		3
11.422	2.5230	10.0		2
11.408	2.5230	20.2	4.4	2
11.426	2.5230	21.0	2.2	0
11.430	2.5230	10.0		2
11.425	2.5230	10.0		2
11.402	2.5230	20.2		12
11.403	2.5230	4.2		0
11.409	2.5230	0.0		0
11.412	2.5230	10.2	4.2	4
11.420	2.5230	2.0		4
11.422	2.5230	0.0		4
11.423	2.5230	0.0	4.4	2

TABLE 1 (continued)

Frequency of peak - mc.	Energy of peak - Kev.	Amplitude of peak	Width at half max. - Kev.	Separation from next peak - Kev.
11.757	2.367	9.5	2.8	5
11.770	2.372	14.5		3
11.777	2.375	32.0		3
11.785	2.378	27.5		2
11.789	2.380	26.0		4
11.800	2.384	25.5		4
11.810	2.388	11.5		3
11.817	2.391	8.0		4
11.827	2.395	16.5		6
11.841	2.401	26.0		7
11.859	2.408	10.0		4
11.868	2.412	22.5	3.0	5
11.880	2.417	10.0		5
11.892	2.422	9.0		4
11.902	2.426	8.5		2
11.908	2.428	5.0		8
11.926	2.436	45.5	3.6	9
11.950	2.445	33.0	3.9	6
11.963	2.451	10.5		5
11.976	2.456	20.5	3.5	7

(continued) I. 1957

Station	Year	Month	Day	Time
1	1957	1	1	11.11
2		1	1	11.11
3		1	1	11.11
4		1	1	11.11
5		1	1	11.11
6		1	1	11.11
7		1	1	11.11
8		1	1	11.11
9		1	1	11.11
10		1	1	11.11
11		1	1	11.11
12		1	1	11.11
13		1	1	11.11
14		1	1	11.11
15		1	1	11.11
16		1	1	11.11
17		1	1	11.11
18		1	1	11.11
19		1	1	11.11
20		1	1	11.11

TABLE 1 (continued)

Frequency of peak - mc.	Energy of peak - Mev.	Amplitude of peak	Width at half max. - Kev.	Separation from next peak - Kev.
11.992	2.463	28.0		5
12.004	2.468	31.5		13
12.038	2.481	40.0	3.3	10
12.061	2.491	10.5		5
12.072	2.496	38.5	3.3	3
12.080	2.499	19.0		9
12.102	2.508	57.0	3.8	-

(continued) Table 1

Year	Month	Day	Time	Location	Remarks
1961	1	1	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	2	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	3	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	4	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	5	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	6	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	7	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	8	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	9	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	10	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	11	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	12	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	13	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	14	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	15	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	16	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	17	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	18	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	19	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	20	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	21	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	22	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	23	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	24	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	25	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	26	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	27	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	28	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	29	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	30	10:00	1000	1000
1961	1	31	10:00	1000	1000

$$\begin{aligned}
 \text{Mass Difference}^4 (Tl^{45} - Ge^{45}) &= - Q - (n-p) \\
 &= (0.003061 \pm 0.000003) - (0.000840 \pm 0.000005) \quad (B3) \\
 &= 0.002221 \pm 0.000006 \text{ amu}
 \end{aligned}$$

The background was not measured over the energy range covered, because of changes made on the generator before this could be done. However, the background in the region of 2.5 Mev was measured, and was substantially the same as the yield obtained below threshold. The experimental points are shown by circles. The magnitude of the probable error in these points is indicated along the axis of ordinates. The experimental points are connected by straight lines, for reasons discussed below.

Table 2 lists all of the peaks in the neutron yield. The narrowest peak found, at 2.929 Mev had a width of 5 Kev at half its maximum amplitude. This sets an upper limit of 5 Kev to the target thickness. The resolution of the peaks was not considered good enough to justify fairing in a smooth curve through the experimental points. Therefore, the points were connected by straight lines to avoid obscuring any details. It is believed that better resolution could be obtained by the use of a thinner target, as in the chlorine experiment.

4. See footnote 2 on page 18.

$$\begin{aligned} \text{Mean Difference } \Delta_{12} &= (0.00000 \pm 0.00000) - (0.00000 \pm 0.00000) \\ &= 0.00000 \pm 0.00000 \text{ mm} \end{aligned}$$

The background was not measured over the energy range covered, because of changes made to the counter before this could be done. However, the background in the region of 5.5 Mev was measured, and was substantially the same as the yield obtained below threshold. The experimental points are shown by circles. The magnitude of the probable error in these points is indicated along the axis of the distance. The experimental points are connected by straight lines, for reasons discussed below.

Table I lists all of the peaks in the neutron field.

The narrowest peak found, at 2.925 Mev had a width of 5 Mev at half its maximum amplitude. This sets an upper limit of 5 Mev to the largest thickness. The resolution at the peak was not considered good enough to justify listing in a smooth curve through the experimental points. Therefore, the points were connected by straight lines to avoid obscuring any details. It is believed that better resolution could be obtained by the use of a thinner target, as in the electron experiment.

TABLE 2
RESONANCE PEAKS IN NEUTRON YIELD FROM $\text{Sc}^{45}(\text{p},\text{n})\text{Ti}^{45}$
Error in E $\pm$ 0.1%, relative to $\text{Li}^7(\text{p},\text{n})$ threshold

Frequency of peak - mc.	Energy of peak - Kev.	Amplitude of peak	Width at half max. - Kev.	Separation from next peak - Kev.
13.050	2.916	6.4		4
13.059	2.920	7.5		9
13.078	2.929	8.0	4.6	8
13.096	2.937	7.8	5.7	9
13.116	2.946	7.6		2
13.122	2.948	7.1		11
13.146	2.959	7.7		5
13.159	2.964	19.0	5.5	9
13.176	2.973	10.1		5
13.188	2.978	12.0	5.2	5
13.198	2.983	11.2		5
13.210	2.988	12.6		4
13.218	2.992	10.8		4
13.228	2.996	13.0		8
13.246	3.004	9.2		6
13.259	3.010	9.8		6
13.272	3.016	10.3		3
13.279	3.019	18.4	6.6	8
13.295	3.027	11.7		7
13.310	3.034	14.5		5

TABLE 2
RELATIVE GRAIN IN WEIGHT LOSS OF
GIVEN IN $\pm 0.1\%$ RELATIVE TO (1.0) STANDARD

Frequency of Peak - sec.	Intensity of Peak - sec.	Wavelength in μ	Width at Half Max. - sec.	Integration from Peak - sec.
12.030	2.120	6.4		6
12.032	2.030	7.2		9
12.035	2.024	6.0	4.0	8
12.036	2.026	7.8	2.0	7
12.110	2.040	7.0		5
12.122	2.042	7.1		11
12.140	2.028	7.7		2
12.152	2.044	10.0	2.2	3
12.160	2.022	10.1		2
12.168	2.028	12.0	2.2	2
12.190	2.022	11.2		5
12.210	2.028	12.8		4
12.216	2.024	10.8		4
12.228	2.020	11.0		6
12.240	2.004	6.5		6
12.252	2.010	9.8		8
12.272	2.010	10.3		3
12.278	2.010	10.1	6.0	8
12.282	2.020	11.2		7
12.310	2.024	10.2		2

TABLE 2 (continued)

Frequency of peak - mc.	Energy of peak - Mev.	Amplitude of peak	Width at half max. - Kev.	Separation from next peak - Kev.
13.322	3.039	12.6		5
13.332	3.044	13.4		7
13.348	3.051	11.9		4
13.358	3.055	12.2		6
13.370	3.061	14.7		3
13.378	3.064	19.3		6
13.390	3.070	16.0		7
13.404	3.077	13.5		7
13.420	3.084	14.0		8
13.438	3.092	15.3		5
13.448	3.097	13.5		6
13.462	3.103	15.6		3
13.468	3.106	18.8		3
13.478	3.109	15.0		11
13.498	3.120	14.6		5
13.508	3.125	14.0		-

TABLE 2 (continued)

Frequency of Peak - 100	Intensity of Peak - 100	Wavelength of Peak	Wavenumber of Peak	Wavenumber of Peak - 100
13.122	1.012	12.6	7936	7936
13.123	1.011	12.4	7983	7983
13.124	1.010	12.2	8030	8030
13.125	1.009	12.0	8077	8077
13.126	1.008	11.8	8124	8124
13.127	1.007	11.6	8171	8171
13.128	1.006	11.4	8218	8218
13.129	1.005	11.2	8265	8265
13.130	1.004	11.0	8312	8312
13.131	1.003	10.8	8359	8359
13.132	1.002	10.6	8406	8406
13.133	1.001	10.4	8453	8453
13.134	1.000	10.2	8500	8500
13.135	0.999	10.0	8547	8547
13.136	0.998	9.8	8594	8594
13.137	0.997	9.6	8641	8641
13.138	0.996	9.4	8688	8688
13.139	0.995	9.2	8735	8735
13.140	0.994	9.0	8782	8782
13.141	0.993	8.8	8829	8829
13.142	0.992	8.6	8876	8876
13.143	0.991	8.4	8923	8923
13.144	0.990	8.2	8970	8970
13.145	0.989	8.0	9017	9017
13.146	0.988	7.8	9064	9064
13.147	0.987	7.6	9111	9111
13.148	0.986	7.4	9158	9158
13.149	0.985	7.2	9205	9205
13.150	0.984	7.0	9252	9252
13.151	0.983	6.8	9299	9299
13.152	0.982	6.6	9346	9346
13.153	0.981	6.4	9393	9393
13.154	0.980	6.2	9440	9440
13.155	0.979	6.0	9487	9487
13.156	0.978	5.8	9534	9534
13.157	0.977	5.6	9581	9581
13.158	0.976	5.4	9628	9628
13.159	0.975	5.2	9675	9675
13.160	0.974	5.0	9722	9722
13.161	0.973	4.8	9769	9769
13.162	0.972	4.6	9816	9816
13.163	0.971	4.4	9863	9863
13.164	0.970	4.2	9910	9910
13.165	0.969	4.0	9957	9957
13.166	0.968	3.8	10004	10004
13.167	0.967	3.6	10051	10051
13.168	0.966	3.4	10098	10098
13.169	0.965	3.2	10145	10145
13.170	0.964	3.0	10192	10192
13.171	0.963	2.8	10239	10239
13.172	0.962	2.6	10286	10286
13.173	0.961	2.4	10333	10333
13.174	0.960	2.2	10380	10380
13.175	0.959	2.0	10427	10427
13.176	0.958	1.8	10474	10474
13.177	0.957	1.6	10521	10521
13.178	0.956	1.4	10568	10568
13.179	0.955	1.2	10615	10615
13.180	0.954	1.0	10662	10662
13.181	0.953	0.8	10709	10709
13.182	0.952	0.6	10756	10756
13.183	0.951	0.4	10803	10803
13.184	0.950	0.2	10850	10850
13.185	0.949	0.0	10897	10897

General: The yield of neutrons was measured throughout, not as counts per second, but as counts per micro coulomb of the proton beam as determined from a beam current integrator. In this way the counting rate was normalized against any fluctuations in the beam current. Since no correction was made to the counting rate for the efficiency of the long counter, the yield will be distorted at low neutron energies just above the threshold.

The maximum counting rate obtained during either experiment was 14,000 counts per 200 micro coulombs. This corresponds to 3 micro amperes striking the target for 67 seconds. Thus the maximum counting rate was less than 250 counts per second, with an average time between pulses of more than 4,000 micro seconds. The scaler had a resolving time of 5 micro seconds, the amplifier a rise time of 0.5 micro seconds and a clipping time of 2 micro seconds. Since these times were very much less than 4,000 micro seconds, no corrections were necessary in the counting rates.

Figures 5 and 6 show the reproducibility of several peaks, with measurements taken at different times. In order to insure that there had been no appreciable change in target thickness, build up of surface contaminants, or changes in the overall operation of the measuring equipment due to unknown causes, the same peak was measured at

Results: The yield of acetic acid was measured through-
out, not as counts per second, but as counts per minute per
liter of the reaction mixture as determined from a beam current
meter. In this way the reaction rate was measured
against any fluctuations in the beam current. Since no
correction was made to the counting rate for the efficiency
of the beam monitor, the yield will be distorted at low
counting rates just above the threshold.

The maximum counting rate obtained during a run was
12,000 counts per 100 micro seconds. This
corresponds to a ratio of about 1:100 between the counts per
second. Thus the maximum counting rate was less than 120
counts per second, with an average time between pulses of
more than 1,000 micro seconds. The ratio had a resolving
time of 2 micro seconds, the resolution a rise time of 0.5
micro seconds and a trigger time of 2 micro seconds. Since
these times were very much less than 1,000 micro seconds,
no corrections were necessary in the counting rates.

Figures 1 and 2 show the reproducibility of several
runs, with measurements taken at different times. In
order to insure that there was no appreciable change
in target thickness, which up to 100 micro seconds, or
changes in the overall operation of the counting equip-
ment due to random causes, the same test was repeated at

Figure 5

REPRODUCIBILITY OF PEAKS

$\text{Cl}^{37}(\text{p},\text{n})\text{A}^{37}$

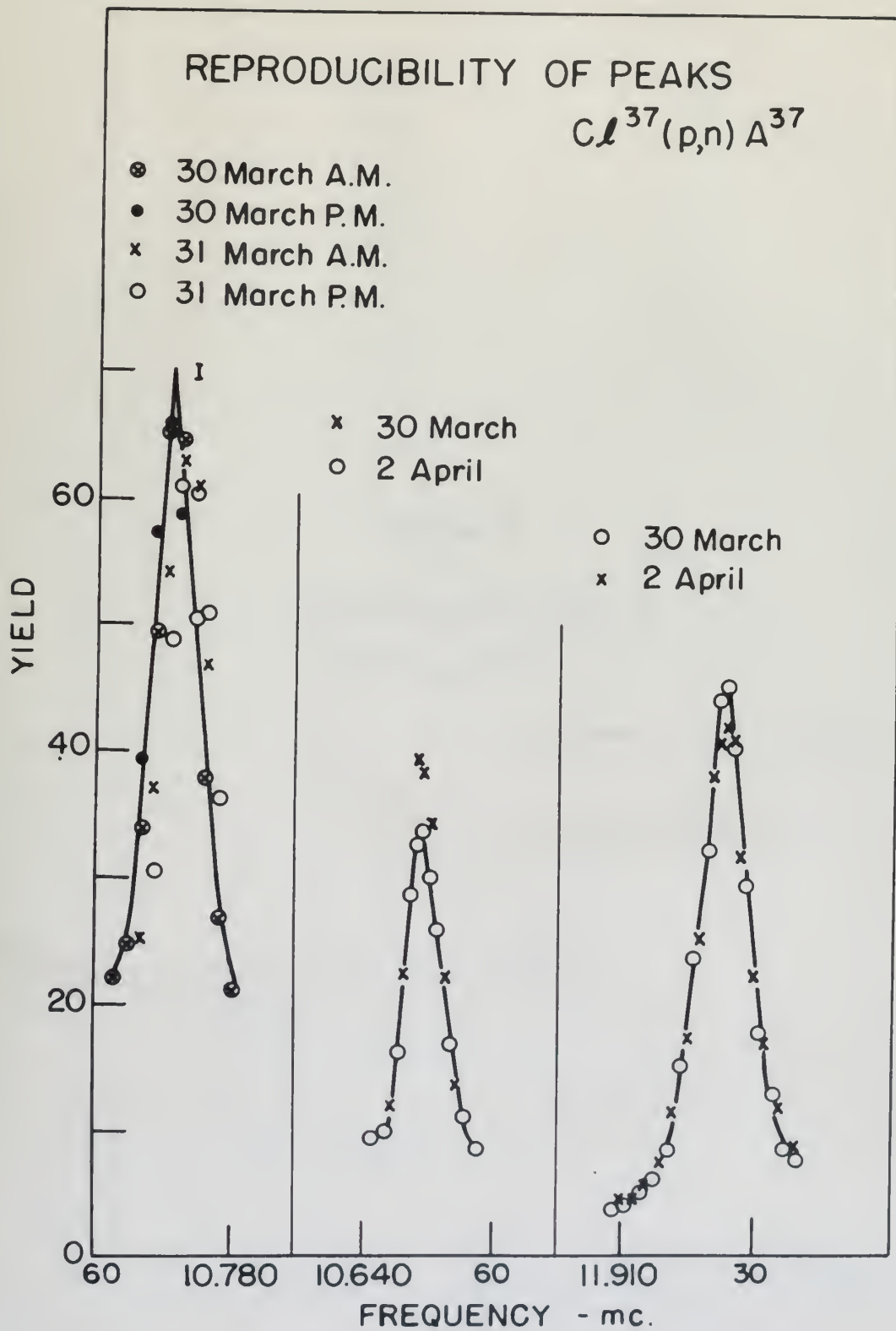


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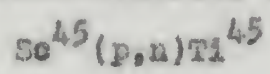
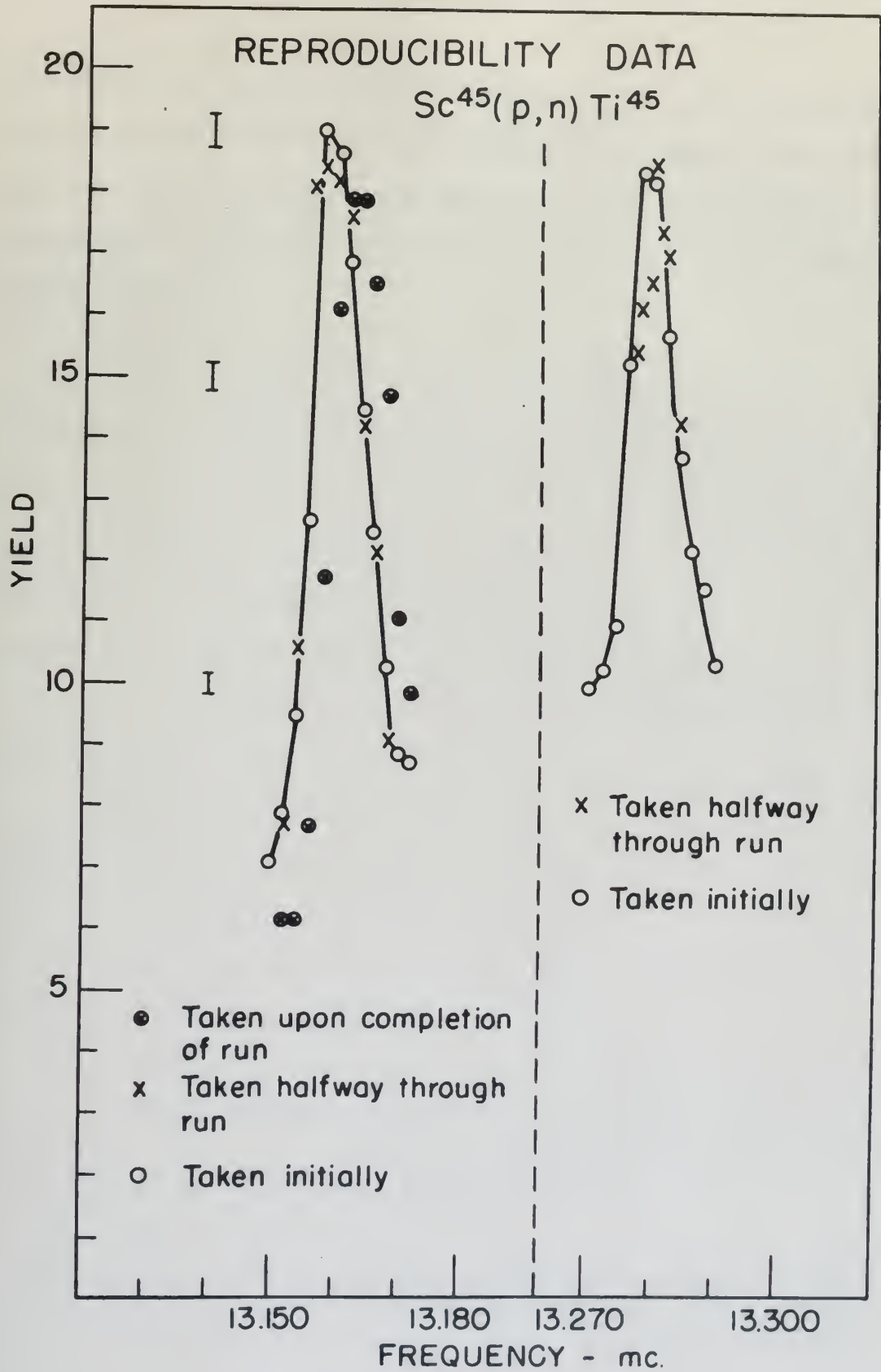


Figure 6

REPRODUCIBILITY DATA

$\sigma^2_{\epsilon}(p, n, q)$



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CHAPTER V THEORETICAL CONSIDERATIONS

Neutron Energies: The neutron yield from the Li^7 (p,n) Be^7 reaction is often used as a neutron source. However, there are two disadvantages to the use of these neutrons in some experiments. The lowest energy neutrons obtainable, in the forward direction, just at the threshold, are 29 Kev. In addition, there is a large variation of neutron energy with angle of emission in the laboratory coordinates. For example, at a proton energy of 2.0 Mev, the neutron energy at 0° is 228 Kev, while the energy at 180° is 15 Kev. Willard (W1) tabulates the neutron energies at different angles for a wide range of proton energies.

Since both of these effects are caused by the motion of the compound nucleus, a heavier target nucleus would provide lower energy neutrons in the forward direction at the threshold, and also less variation in neutron energy with angle at all energies.

The following expression for the energy of the neutrons from the $\text{Sc}^{45}(\text{p,n})\text{Ti}^{45}$ reaction is derived from the laws of conservation of mass-energy and momentum:

$$E_n^{\frac{1}{2}} = \frac{E_p^{\frac{1}{2}}}{46} \cos \theta \pm \left[\frac{44}{46} + \frac{\cos^2 \theta}{(46)^2} \right] E_p + \frac{45}{46} Q \Bigg]^{\frac{1}{2}}$$

CHAPTER V

EXPERIMENTAL CONSIDERATIONS

Neutron Sources: The neutron yield from the ^{235}U

(p,n) reaction is often used as a neutron source. However, there are two disadvantages to the use of these reactions in some experiments. The lowest energy neutrons obtainable in the forward direction, just at the threshold, are 19 kev. In addition, there is a large variation of neutron energy with angle of emission in the laboratory coordinate. For example, at a proton energy of 2.0 mev, the neutron energy at 0° is 225 kev, while the energy at 180° is 15 kev. Willard (11) tabulates the neutron energies at different angles for a wide range of proton energies.

Since both of these effects are caused by the motion

of the compound nucleus, a heavier target nucleus would provide lower energy neutrons in the forward direction at the threshold, and also less variation in neutron energy with angle at all energies.

The following expression for the energy of the neutrons

from the $^{235}\text{U}(p,n)^{235}\text{Np}$ reaction is derived from the laws of

conservation of mass-energy and momentum:

$$\frac{1}{2} m_p v_p^2 + m_p c^2 + m_{^{235}\text{U}} c^2 = \left[\frac{A_p}{A_p + A_{^{235}\text{U}}} \right] m_n v_n^2 + \left[\frac{A_{^{235}\text{Np}}}{A_p + A_{^{235}\text{U}}} \right] m_n v_n^2 + m_{^{235}\text{Np}} c^2$$

E_n = neutron energy in Kev.

E_p = proton energy in Kev.

θ = angle of emission of neutrons with respect to direction of incident proton, in laboratory coordinates.

Q = -2250 Kev (see page 23).

From this expression, the energy of the neutrons emerging at threshold ($E_p = 2.913$ Kev), ($\theta = 0$), is 1.4 Kev. One of the largest neutron yields was obtained with a proton energy of 2.964 Kev. The energy of these neutrons at various angles is given below:

θ	0°	90°	180°
E_n	67.8 Kev	53.4 Kev	34.5 Kev

Thus, it is seen that neutrons from scandium can be obtained at energies as low as 1.4 Kev, compared to the minimum energy of 29 Kev from lithium. For any given energy, neutrons are available from scandium which have less variation in energy with angle than those obtained from lithium. Since the absolute yield of neutrons from scandium was not determined in this experiment, it is not known whether this reaction could be used as a neutron source in work requiring a high flux.

Taschek and Hemmendinger (T2) measured the absolute yield of the $Li^7(p,n)Be^7$ reaction. This required a know-

E_p = neutron energy in MeV.

E_n = proton energy in MeV.

θ = angle of emission of neutrons with respect to direction of incident proton, in laboratory coordinates.

$\theta = 0^\circ$ - 250 MeV (see page 23).

From this expression, the energy of the neutrons

emitted at threshold ($E_p = 1.913$ MeV), ($\theta = 0^\circ$), is 1.4

MeV. One of the largest neutron yields was obtained with

a proton energy of 2.264 MeV. The energy of these neutrons

at various angles is given below:

θ	E_n
0°	2.264 MeV
30°	2.264 MeV
45°	2.264 MeV

Thus, it is seen that neutrons from reaction can be

obtained at energies as low as 1.4 MeV, compared to the

minimum energy of 2.2 MeV from lithium. For any given ener-

gy, neutrons are available from reaction which have less

variation in energy with angle than those obtained from

lithium. Since the absolute yield of neutrons from beam-

also was not determined in this experiment, it is not known

whether this reaction could be used as a neutron source in

work requiring a high flux.

TABLE 1. Neutron Yields (NY) measured at various

angles of the $^{10}\text{B}(p,n)^{10}\text{C}$ reaction. The reaction is shown

ledge of the actual target thickness, which was obtained from the "geometric peak." Since scandium is heavier, it is impractical to measure the "geometric peak," and the target thickness must be determined by other means. The upper limit to the target thickness, discussed previously, includes the actual target thickness, the spread in energy of the protons, and the actual width of the energy level.

If one of the peaks were remeasured using a much thinner target, and had a considerably narrower width, then the actual target thickness of the original target would be known to within the width of the thinner target. Thus, if the thicker target had a peak of 5 Kev width, and this peak, when remeasured with a thinner target, had a width of 1 Kev, then the original target thickness would be 5 ± 1 Kev.

A determination of the yield relative to lithium also requires a knowledge of the actual target thickness. However, it is estimated that the neutron yield from scandium is many times less than that obtained from lithium. This estimate is based on an experimental knowledge of the counting rates from the two reactions for different counter geometries.

Energy Levels: In the p,n reaction, a proton of angular momentum $\bar{\ell}$, and spin $\bar{i} = \frac{1}{2}$, bombards a target nucleus of spin $\bar{I}$. The vector channel spin $\bar{s} = \bar{i} + \bar{I}$ combines with the vector angular momentum of the proton ℓ ,

edges of the actual target thickness, which was obtained from the "Geometric Peak". Since according to theory, it is impossible to measure the "Geometric Peak", and the target thickness must be determined by other means. The upper limit of the target thickness, obtained previously, includes the actual target thickness, the spread in energy of the beam, and the actual width of the energy level.

If one of the peaks were measured using a small thinner target, and a considerably less over width, then the actual target thickness of the original target would be known to within the width of the thinner target. Thus, if the thinnest target had a peak of 2 MeV width, and this peak, when measured with a thinner target, had a width of 1 MeV, then the original target thickness would be 2 ± 1 MeV.

A determination of the peak relative to position also requires a knowledge of the actual target thickness. However, it is assumed that the neutron yield from scattering is many times less than that received from fission. This estimate is based on an experimental knowledge of the counting rates from the two reactions for different neutron energies.

Geometric Peak: In the α reaction, a proton of energy E is scattered at an angle θ , and again $E = \frac{1}{2} E_0$, hence the target thickness of E . The vector should give $E = E_0 + E$ since with the vector angular momentum of the proton E .

to give the spin $\bar{J} = \bar{s} + \bar{\ell}$ of the compound nucleus. Since a proton has an intrinsic even parity, compound nuclei formed from even values of ℓ , will have the same parity as the target nucleus; whereas those formed from odd values of ℓ will have the opposite parity. Mathematically, off-center collisions ($\ell > 0$) can be treated in terms of dead-center collisions, ($\ell = 0$), by adding a fictitious "centrifugal barrier" term which increases rapidly with ℓ . For the energies used in this experiment, it was assumed that the "centrifugal barrier" for $\ell > 1$ was so large that the probability of forming the compound nucleus was small. Thus,

ℓ can have the values of 0 or 1. The laws of quantum mechanics permit the following values of J :

For $\ell = 0$: $J = s = I - \frac{1}{2}$ or $I + \frac{1}{2}$, same parity as target.

For $\ell = 1$: $s = I - \frac{1}{2}$, $J = I - 3/2$, $I - \frac{1}{2}$, or $I + \frac{1}{2}$

$s = I + \frac{1}{2}$, $J = I - 1/2$, $I + \frac{1}{2}$, or $I + 3/2$
opposite parity as target.

Non-identical quantum states of the compound nucleus correspond to different energy levels. If the states having the same value of J and ℓ , but different s , are not identical, there will be a separate energy level for each of the eight combinations shown above. If they are identical, these eight combinations result in six different energy levels.

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vector solutions $(\bar{L} > 0)$ and $(\bar{L} < 0)$ are the same in terms of the

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By analogy with spectroscopy, these six or eight related energy states are considered a multiplet, and exist for a given total quantum number. This total quantum number is not defined, but is assumed to be analogous with the orbital quantum number n in atomic theory. From this, it is expected that the multiplet would be repeated as n takes on different values.

On a single particle model of the nucleus, it could be supposed that, just before the emission of a neutron, the compound nucleus could be represented by a wave function describing the neutron moving in the force field of the residual nucleus. This wave function would be characterized by the excitation energy and the coupling of the angular momentum, ℓ , and the spin, i , of the neutron with the residual nucleus. As the p,n reaction is a reversible process, the compound nucleus must have values of J which can be formed not only from a proton and the target, but also from a neutron and the residual nucleus. If the spin of the residual nucleus were known, the other half of the problem could be worked out, and those values of J common to both would be the ones actually observed. However, both of the residual nuclei of this experiment, A^{37} and Ti^{45} , have unknown spins, so that the complete problem cannot be worked out.

If the spacing of the states of a multiplet were small

compared with the spacing between multiplets, groups of six or eight resonance levels might be observed. However, there is a very good chance that states of different multiplets overlap, and also that the single particle picture may not be valid. Preston (P3) discusses the theory of the p,n reaction in detail.

The Sc^{45} nucleus has a spin of $7/2$ so that the possible J values of the compound nucleus, Ti^{46} , would be 3 or 4, same parity, and 2, 3, 4, 3, 4, 5, opposite parity. From Figure 4, it can be seen that four of the peaks, at 2964, 3019, 3064, and 3106 Kev, are much larger than any of the other peaks. Also, each of these large peaks has a smaller peak just above it, and a much smaller peak, or an indication of one, just below it. This repeating triplet might indicate that each of the large peaks corresponds to a particular J value being repeated for different total quantum numbers. Between the first two large peaks, there are nine other peaks; between the next two, there are seven; and between the last two, six. The large peaks are occurring closer together at the higher energies, indicating that the multiplet spacing is decreasing. Thus, the observed number of peaks, twenty-five, if assigned to three multiplets, agrees very closely with the theoretical value of eight per multiplet. Table 3 shows the average energy level spacing of

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SPACINGS IN Tl

Energy of peak at start of interval- Mev.	Energy of peak at end of interval- Mev.	Energy be- tween peaks Kev.	Levels be- tween peaks	Average level spacing
2.964	3.019	55	9	5.5
3.019	3.064	45	7	5.6
3.064	3.106	42	6	6.0
2.964	3.106	142	24	5.7
2.916	3.125	209	34	6.0

Ti^{46} , as observed from the yield curve (Figure 4).

The Cl^{37} nucleus has a spin of $3/2$, so that the possible values of J of the compound nucleus, A^{38} , would be 1 or 2, same parity, and 0, 1, 2, 1, 2, or 3, opposite parity. The yield curve (Figure 2) was examined in an attempt to find a similar repeating pattern. Although there were many large peaks, none of them were conspicuously different from the remainder, as was the case in scandium. A number of possible repeating patterns could be picked out from among all of the available peaks. One scheme, using a triplet similar to the one in scandium, gave 128 peaks in 14 multiplets. This doesn't agree with the theoretical value too well, but it is fairly close. Table 4 shows the average energy level spacing of A^{38} based on this scheme. The intervals were taken between the large center peaks of the triplets.

The proton energy for a peak in the yield curve is known to an accuracy of 0.1%, relative to the measured value of the $Li^7(p,n)$ threshold, as previously discussed. If these energies were corrected for motion of the center of mass, loss of energy in the target, and displacement of the peak due to the effect of neighboring peaks, the energy levels of the compound nuclei can be obtained by adding the proton binding energy to the corrected proton kinetic energies. The average energy level spacing obtained from the

Fig. 1, an observed form of the field wave (Figure 1).
 The U_{17} spectrum has a split at U_{17} , so that the possi-
 ble values of U of the compound nucleus, U_{17} , would be 1 or
 2, more precisely, and 0, 1, 2, 3, 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 17, 18, 19, 20, 21, 22, 23, 24, 25, 26, 27, 28, 29, 30, 31, 32, 33, 34, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 41, 42, 43, 44, 45, 46, 47, 48, 49, 50, 51, 52, 53, 54, 55, 56, 57, 58, 59, 60, 61, 62, 63, 64, 65, 66, 67, 68, 69, 70, 71, 72, 73, 74, 75, 76, 77, 78, 79, 80, 81, 82, 83, 84, 85, 86, 87, 88, 89, 90, 91, 92, 93, 94, 95, 96, 97, 98, 99, 100, 101, 102, 103, 104, 105, 106, 107, 108, 109, 110, 111, 112, 113, 114, 115, 116, 117, 118, 119, 120, 121, 122, 123, 124, 125, 126, 127, 128, 129, 130, 131, 132, 133, 134, 135, 136, 137, 138, 139, 140, 141, 142, 143, 144, 145, 146, 147, 148, 149, 150, 151, 152, 153, 154, 155, 156, 157, 158, 159, 160, 161, 162, 163, 164, 165, 166, 167, 168, 169, 170, 171, 172, 173, 174, 175, 176, 177, 178, 179, 180, 181, 182, 183, 184, 185, 186, 187, 188, 189, 190, 191, 192, 193, 194, 195, 196, 197, 198, 199, 200, 201, 202, 203, 204, 205, 206, 207, 208, 209, 210, 211, 212, 213, 214, 215, 216, 217, 218, 219, 220, 221, 222, 223, 224, 225, 226, 227, 228, 229, 230, 231, 232, 233, 234, 235, 236, 237, 238, 239, 240, 241, 242, 243, 244, 245, 246, 247, 248, 249, 250, 251, 252, 253, 254, 255, 256, 257, 258, 259, 260, 261, 262, 263, 264, 265, 266, 267, 268, 269, 270, 271, 272, 273, 274, 275, 276, 277, 278, 279, 280, 281, 282, 283, 284, 285, 286, 287, 288, 289, 290, 291, 292, 293, 294, 295, 296, 297, 298, 299, 300, 301, 302, 303, 304, 305, 306, 307, 308, 309, 310, 311, 312, 313, 314, 315, 316, 317, 318, 319, 320, 321, 322, 323, 324, 325, 326, 327, 328, 329, 330, 331, 332, 333, 334, 335, 336, 337, 338, 339, 340, 341, 342, 343, 344, 345, 346, 347, 348, 349, 350, 351, 352, 353, 354, 355, 356, 357, 358, 359, 360, 361, 362, 363, 364, 365, 366, 367, 368, 369, 370, 371, 372, 373, 374, 375, 376, 377, 378, 379, 380, 381, 382, 383, 384, 385, 386, 387, 388, 389, 390, 391, 392, 393, 394, 395, 396, 397, 398, 399, 400, 401, 402, 403, 404, 405, 406, 407, 408, 409, 410, 411, 412, 413, 414, 415, 416, 417, 418, 419, 420, 421, 422, 423, 424, 425, 426, 427, 428, 429, 430, 431, 432, 433, 434, 435, 436, 437, 438, 439, 440, 441, 442, 443, 444, 445, 446, 447, 448, 449, 450, 451, 452, 453, 454, 455, 456, 457, 458, 459, 460, 461, 462, 463, 464, 465, 466, 467, 468, 469, 470, 471, 472, 473, 474, 475, 476, 477, 478, 479, 480, 481, 482, 483, 484, 485, 486, 487, 488, 489, 490, 491, 492, 493, 494, 495, 496, 497, 498, 499, 500, 501, 502, 503, 504, 505, 506, 507, 508, 509, 510, 511, 512, 513, 514, 515, 516, 517, 518, 519, 520, 521, 522, 523, 524, 525, 526, 527, 528, 529, 530, 531, 532, 533, 534, 535, 536, 537, 538, 539, 540, 541, 542, 543, 544, 545, 546, 547, 548, 549, 550, 551, 552, 553, 554, 555, 556, 557, 558, 559, 560, 561, 562, 563, 564, 565, 566, 567, 568, 569, 570, 571, 572, 573, 574, 575, 576, 577, 578, 579, 580, 581, 582, 583, 584, 585, 586, 587, 588, 589, 590, 591, 592, 593, 594, 595, 596, 597, 598, 599, 600, 601, 602, 603, 604, 605, 606, 607, 608, 609, 610, 611, 612, 613, 614, 615, 616, 617, 618, 619, 620, 621, 622, 623, 624, 625, 626, 627, 628, 629, 630, 631, 632, 633, 634, 635, 636, 637, 638, 639, 640, 641, 642, 643, 644, 645, 646, 647, 648, 649, 650, 651, 652, 653, 654, 655, 656, 657, 658, 659, 660, 661, 662, 663, 664, 665, 666, 667, 668, 669, 670, 671, 672, 673, 674, 675, 676, 677, 678, 679, 680, 681, 682, 683, 684, 685, 686, 687, 688, 689, 690, 691, 692, 693, 694, 695, 696, 697, 698, 699, 700, 701, 702, 703, 704, 705, 706, 707, 708, 709, 710, 711, 712, 713, 714, 715, 716, 717, 718, 719, 720, 721, 722, 723, 724, 725, 726, 727, 728, 729, 730, 731, 732, 733, 734, 735, 736, 737, 738, 739, 740, 741, 742, 743, 744, 745, 746, 747, 748, 749, 750, 751, 752, 753, 754, 755, 756, 757, 758, 759, 760, 761, 762, 763, 764, 765, 766, 767, 768, 769, 770, 771, 772, 773, 774, 775, 776, 777, 778, 779, 780, 781, 782, 783, 784, 785, 786, 787, 788, 789, 790, 791, 792, 793, 794, 795, 796, 797, 798, 799, 800, 801, 802, 803, 804, 805, 806, 807, 808, 809, 810, 811, 812, 813, 814, 815, 816, 817, 818, 819, 820, 821, 822, 823, 824, 825, 826, 827, 828, 829, 830, 831, 832, 833, 834, 835, 836, 837, 838, 839, 840, 841, 842, 843, 844, 845, 846, 847, 848, 849, 850, 851, 852, 853, 854, 855, 856, 857, 858, 859, 860, 861, 862, 863, 864, 865, 866, 867, 868, 869, 870, 871, 872, 873, 874, 875, 876, 877, 878, 879, 880, 881, 882, 883, 884, 885, 886, 887, 888, 889, 890, 891, 892, 893, 894, 895, 896, 897, 898, 899, 900, 901, 902, 903, 904, 905, 906, 907, 908, 909, 910, 911, 912, 913, 914, 915, 916, 917, 918, 919, 920, 921, 922, 923, 924, 925, 926, 927, 928, 929, 930, 931, 932, 933, 934, 935, 936, 937, 938, 939, 940, 941, 942, 943, 944, 945, 946, 947, 948, 949, 950, 951, 952, 953, 954, 955, 956, 957, 958, 959, 960, 961, 962, 963, 964, 965, 966, 967, 968, 969, 970, 971, 972, 973, 974, 975, 976, 977, 978, 979, 980, 981, 982, 983, 984, 985, 986, 987, 988, 989, 990, 991, 992, 993, 994, 995, 996, 997, 998, 999, 1000.

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TABLE 4
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Energy of peak at start of interval- MeV.	Energy of peak at end of interval- MeV.	Energy be- tween peaks KeV.	Levels be- tween peaks	Average level spacing
1.691	1.773	82	10	7.5
1.773	1.819	46	7	5.8
1.819	1.851	32	6	4.6
1.851	1.892	41	8	4.6
1.892	1.942	50	10	4.5
1.942	1.987	45	7	5.6
1.987	2.046	59	7	7.4
2.046	2.095	49	6	7.0
2.095	2.167	72	8	8.0
2.167	2.261	94	11	7.8
2.261	2.325	64	9	6.4
2.325	2.375	50	9	5.0
2.375	2.412	37	8	4.1
2.412	2.463	51	8	5.7
1.691	2.463	772	127	6.0
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